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Republic of Iraq Federal Supreme Court Ref. 78/Federal/ Media /2019



The Federal Supreme Court (F S C) has been convened on 28.7.2019 headed by the Judge Madhat Al-Mahmood and membership of Judges Farouk Mohammed Al-Sami, Jaafar Nasir Hussein, Akram Taha Mohammed, Akram Ahmed Baban, Mohammed Saib Al-Nagshabandi, Aboud Salih Al-Temimi, Michael Shamshon Qas Georges and Hussein Abbas Abu Al-Temmen who authorized in the name of the people to judge and they made the following decision:

The Request

The Representative Saib Khidar Hayder the Head of Yizedi bloc/member of the parliamentary legal committee requested from the FSC in the letter No. (196) on 17.7.2019 the following:

Sub/ the decision (11/federal/2010)

We send you our best regards...

We like to report your honorable Court decision No. (11/federal/2010) herewith which related to the subject of increasing the Representative seats of Yizedi component, there are a lot of requests had been received from our Yizedi people about activating this case, whereas it hadn't been activated in the elections of 2014 as mentioned in the text of the decision. Therefore, we hope to inform us if it's possible to rely on this point in the elections of 2022. With all respect and appreciation.

The request set for scrutiny and deliberation by the FSC in its session convened on 28.7.2019, and the Court reached the following decision:

The Decision

During scrutiny and deliberation by the FSC, the Court found that the Court previously adjudged by unconstitutionality of clause (beh) of article (1/3rd) of the law of amending the elections law No. (16) For 2005 No. (26) For 2009 according to its decision No. (11/federal/2010). The Court adjudged that Yizedi component shall granted a number seats corresponding to their population in the elections of the ICR for the session of 2014, and according to the census which will take place in Iraq according to the provisions of the article (49/1st) of the Constitution. The decisions and the judgments of the FSC are decisive and obliging for all powers according to the provisions of the article (94) of the Constitution. the decision has been issued unanimously on 28.7.2019.